

ITEM NO.60

COURT NO.9

SECTION II-E

S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A  
R E C O R D O F P R O C E E D I N G S

Petition for Special Leave to Appeal (Crl.) No. 3056/2026

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 06-01-2026 in CRP No. 104565/2025 passed by the High Court of Karnataka Circuit Bench at Dharwad]

SRI PRAKASH &amp; ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

STATE OF KARNATAKA

Respondent(s)

(FOR ADMISSION

IA No. 54235/2026 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.

IA No. 54234/2026 - PERMISSION TO FILE ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS/FACTS/ANNEXURES)

Date : 23-02-2026 This matter was called on for hearing today.

CORAM :

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE S.V.N. BHATTI

HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE VIPUL M. PANCHOLI

For Petitioner(s) Mr. Shankar Divate, AOR  
Mr. Puneet Chopra, Adv.

For Respondent(s)

UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E R

1. We have heard learned counsel appearing for the petitioners.
2. We are of the view that the prayer of the petitioners for anticipatory bail is rejected for right reasons and available circumstances.
3. Accordingly, the Special Leave Petition stands dismissed.
4. At this stage, counsel appearing for the

petitioners requests time to surrender.

5. Taking note of the circumstances, two weeks' time is granted to surrender and apply for regular bail.

6. As and when an application for regular bail is made, the same shall be considered on its own merits uninfluenced by any of the observations made in the order impugned.

7. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of.

(SNEHA DAS)  
SENIOR PERSONAL ASSISTANT

(NIDHI MATHUR)  
COURT MASTER (NSH)